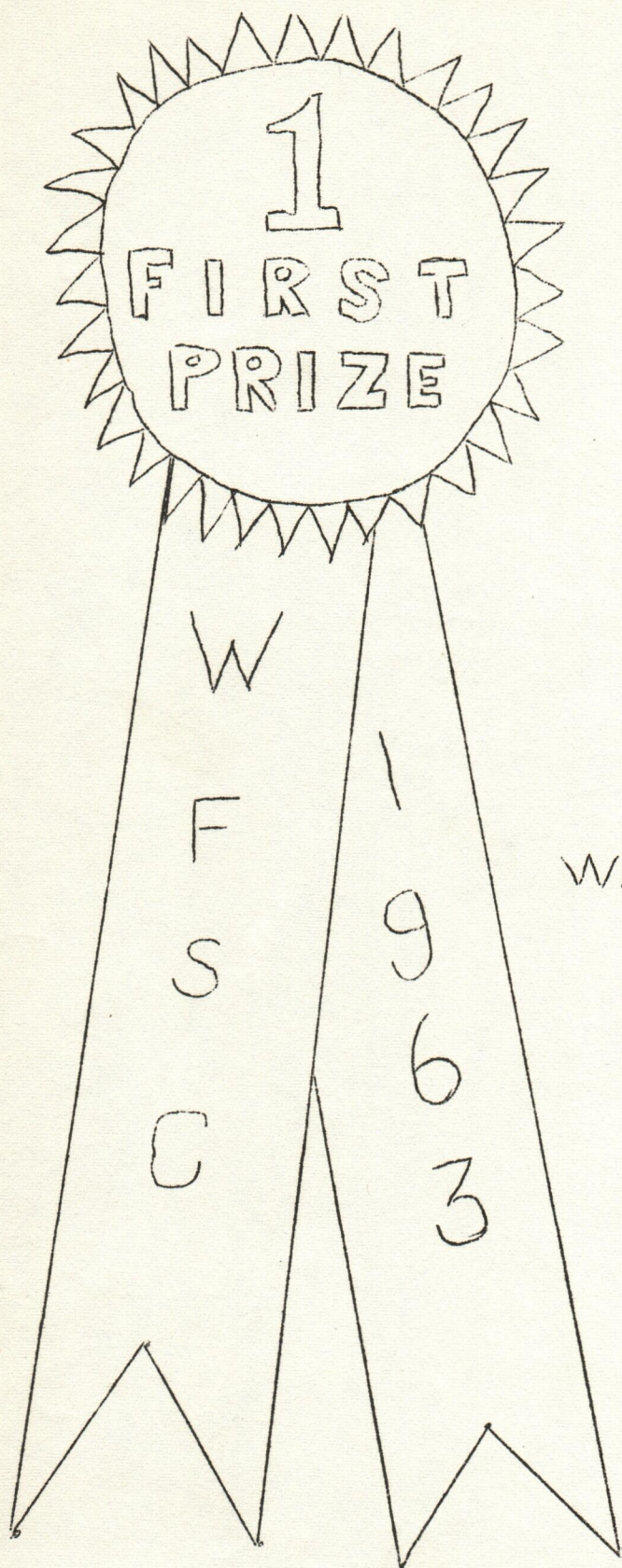


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CONVENTION

ISSUE

32ND ANNUAL
CONVENTION & EXHIBITION

WAUWATOSA PHILATELIC SOC.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY
MAY 18 - MAY 19

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WAUWATOSA PARK BOARD
RECREATION BLDG.

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73RD ST. - 2 BLOCKS
SOUTH OF STATE ST.

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WAUWATOSA, WISCONSIN

CLUB NEWS

The 1963 officers of the Rockford Stamp Club Are:

Pres.-George Finn, 3236 Liberty Drive, Rockford, Ill.; V.P.-Dan Hammell, 1127 Moore Street, Beloit, Wis.; Sec-Treas.-Ben Jelinek, 6230 East Drive, Loves Park, Ill.; SPA Rep.-Leon Christiansen, Clinton, Wis.; Ill. Fed.-Gerald DeLaney, 104 Oak Knolls South, Rockford; Wis. Fed.-Howard C. Koeppen, Clinton, Wis.; Auction-Robert Rosell, 4624 Forest View Ave., Rockford.

New Officers of Sheboygan Stamp Club

Edgar Jung, President; Miss Dorothy Rantmann, 1st Vice-president; Ray Harting, 2nd Vice-president; Ray Van Handel Sr., Sec. and Tres.; Directors-Lester Otto, Isaac Lambers, Milton Stark, Albert Meyer.

The 1963 officers of Green City Philatelic Society are:

Joyce Kuntz, President, 1435 Tenth St., Marinette, Wis. Edwin C. Peterson, Vice-Pres., 1452 Grant St., Marinette, Wis. Eugene M. Ravet, 353 Hattie Street, Marinette, Wis. is Treasurer and E.O. Schoenebeck, 618 Hosmer St., Marinette, Wis. is Secretary.

The Janesville Stamp Club will hold its Fourth Annual Exhibition and Bourse on May 4th and 5th at the YMCA, 54 S. Franklin Street. We, again offer a set of two tri-colored covers, commemorating our Civil War Theme, to mark this show. These cachets will be serviced at 2 for 25¢ by Mrs. Frank Murphy, 522 S. Parker Drive, Janesville, Wis. The show will be open from 12 PM to 9 PM, Saturday, May 4 and from 10:30 AM to 5 PM, Sunday, May 5.

In addition to the exhibition, a public philatelic auction will be held at 8 PM, Saturday, May 4, also at the YMCA. 150 choice lots will be offered for sale. We cordially invite all W.F.S.C. members and their friends to visit our show and auction. See you!

The Rockford Stamp Show will be held on April 20 and 21 at the Lafayette Hotel in Rockford, All WFSC members are cordially invited.

NATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR CHARLES J. PEIRCE

Mr. Peirce has been appointed Regional Representative for Wisconsin by the Society of Philatelic Americans of which he has been a life long member.

Here's an active bunch.....The Green Bay Philatelic Society has a stamp booth at the Green Bay Home and Garden show Feb. 28 to March 3. This included a distribution of stamp literature, showing social slides and a series of frames for display.

And then, a 50 frame museum exhibit is planned varying from pre-postage stamps, complete postmarks from Wisconsin post offices, Israel, UN covers etc.

And then, a late spring auction, for adult and junior stamp enthusiasts is in the making.

WOW! This group really moves.

The "Stamp Exchange" got off the ground.... Ralph O. Hoffmann, 131 Plummer Court, Neenah, Wisconsin wrote us to say, "We now have twenty active, and I do mean ACTIVE, members exchanging stamps through this organized system." Ralph continues to welcome any letters about this plan and we will send you exchange sheets to get you started.

To All WFSC Members and Friends:

This is the pre-convention issue of your W.F.S.C. Bulletin. As such it is my last opportunity to thank many of you for the opportunity of having served you and the association as president during this past fiscal year.

In order to bring this year's operations to a close, and to present a live and vital organization to the officers who will assume their duties following the Convention in May there are at least two things necessary...one required, one desirable. The requirement devolves on you as members of your various clubs; the desirable action is your privilege (and duty) as an individual.

As club members, you must (as provided by the Federation by-laws) elect and certify an official delegate and an alternate delegate to the Convention. This should be done promptly, and the proper credentials provided, either in advance, to the Federation Secretary, or in person at the Convention. Since the Federation rules further provide that only those clubs whose current dues are fully paid are permitted to vote, please be certain that your treasurer has paid the proper amount...30¢ per member...\$3.00 minimum per club...\$20.00 maximum.

The desirable action is really a two-fold opportunity. First, each of you, whether a past "Grand Award" winner or "Novice" should plan to exhibit at the Convention. Second, each of you will want to plan to attend the Show.

The auditorium which the Wauwatosa Club has secured for the show will accommodate an almost-unlimited number of frames. Also, as you will recall, the last Convention passed the resolution which provided that the host club MUST furnish mounting service for your exhibition material. Thus you no longer need to mount and transport this material yourself in advance of the show. Elsewhere in this bulletin are found the classes of entries and other conditions which govern your exhibits..Plan now to prepare and enter.

The location of the Show is one which is easily reached from all sections of the State. Ample parking space...for several hundred cars...is available on the Auditorium grounds at no charge. Just as all roads once led to Rome, so do all roads lead to Wauwatosa. Once you reach the outskirts of Milwaukee, you will find Hiway 100, which circles the city. By referring to the map on the last page of this bulletin, you can then determine the easiest way to reach the Show from your particular point of intersection with Hiway 100.

Don't forget - Saturday and Sunday, May 18 and 19, 1963 at the Wauwatosa Park Recreation Building, just two blocks from 73rd and West State Street, Wauwatosa.

Doug Blackburn

Dear Fellow Collector:

I am extending a personal invitation to each and every one of you, your families and friends, to attend our 32nd Annual Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs Exhibition and Bourse to be held May 18-19 at Wauwatosa Recreation Center - admission is free. The Center is readily accessible from all directions and we have a huge exhibition area, 65 X 145, with almost a square block of parking. We fully anticipate this to be Wisconsin's Best Stamp Show ever.

To date, we shall have on exhibit the Lincoln Collection of Mr. Jack Phelps, prominent Lincolnia Collector and member of several Lincoln and Civil War Centennial Committees, the Prize Winning exhibit of the Franciscan Fathers, a special exhibit from the British Boy Scouts across the pond, and the superb Award Winning Postal History Collection of Douglas Lee.

Periodically, there will be door prizes announced over the public address system and for those who register, a real bag full of material.

A special free refreshment booth for the ladies will again be offered by Claude Degler, in memory of his wife.

Our Saturday nite banquet, at reasonable cost, will be held at the hall on the premises with Mr. Burleigh Jacobs, past President APS as Master of Ceremonies. Featured on the program will be an address by Countess Maria Pulaski, formerly of the Polish Underground and a Stamp Collector, speaking on "My Life as a Spy". Another prominent Philatelic Speaker (to be announced at a later date) will also take part in the program.

Our printed program, which may be purchased separately from the registration, will contain many new features and information and be a real souvenir of the Show.

Two cachets with special show cancel have been announced for the Show, one will depict the Coat of Arms of Wauwatosa, the host city, the other will depict Lincoln and his generals in conference and will also commemorate the participation of Wisconsin Troops in the siege of Vicksburg, Miss, which began on May 18, 1863. Arrangements have been made for those of you who should like to have your covers cancelled at Vicksburg on May 18th. (These must be ordered in advance.)

In order to accommodate more people, the Committee has set 7:00 PM Sunday as Show closing time if attendance warrants. We shall be happy to arrange Hotel reservations (with breakfast) for you.

Let's help make this the best show ever by planning to attend Saturday and Sunday, May 18-19, 1963.

Be seeing you.

Harvey M. Richert
General Chairman.

32 ANNUAL EXHIBITION
WISCONSIN FEDERATION OF STAMP CLUBS
WAUWATOSA RECREATION CENTER
1155 N. 73rd St. Wauwatosa, Wis.
MAY 18 - 19, 1963

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Friday, May 17, 1963

2:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Setting up exhibits

Saturday, May 18, 1963

9:00 A.M.

Registration

10:00 A.M.

Exhibition and Bourse
officially opens. Approp-
riate ceremony by City
and Post Office Officials.

2:00 P.M.

Annual W.F.S.C. business
meeting, President Douglas
Blackbourn, Milwaukee,
Wisconsin, presiding.

6:30 P.M.

Banquet

10:30 P.M.

Exhibition and Bourse
closes.

Sunday, May 19, 1963

8:30 A.M. to 9:30 A.M.

Breakfast arrangements by
individual groups.

10:00 A.M.

Exhibition and Bourse opens.

7:00 P.M.

Exhibition and Bourse
closes.

Arrangements can be made with the Exhibition Chairman
by any group wishing a room for meetings.

PROSPECTUS

EXHIBITION CLASSIFICATIONS

Group I - United States and Possessions
Section A - United States Postal Issues
Section B - Confederate States and U.S. Possessions
Section C - Revenues
Section D - Postal History and Postal Markings
Section E - Precancels
Section F - Any other, not covered above

Group II- Topics, Topicals and Events

Group III-British Commonwealth of Nations

Group IV- Continental Europe and Colonies

Group V - Latin America

Group VI- Asia and Africa

Group VII-Airmails

Section A - United States only
Section B - World Wide (By Countries or Groups of Countries)

AWARDS:

The awards will be on an "Open Basis" and will be available as follows:

13 First Awards; 13 Second Awards; 13 Third Awards; 13 Fourth Awards

One Best in Show Award for the best exhibit; One Second Grand Award for the second best exhibit; One third grand award for the third best exhibit.

If in the opinion of the judges an exhibit does not warrant an award, even if it is the only exhibit in its classification none will be awarded. If in the opinion of the judges additional awards are so merited, they will be so awarded.

There will also be awards made by various National and Local Organizations and Societies. It is not possible to name these at this time, due to the fact that we have not at this date heard from all of them.

JUDGING:

Judges will be selected for their philatelic knowledge and integrity and their decision will be final, based upon the rules set forth by the Wauwatosa Philatelic Society and the Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs. The basis of judging will be on the Point System.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. All material exhibited must be the property of the Exhibitor, and must be authentic.

2. Entry forms and payments must be received by the Exhibits Chairman not later than April 30, 1963.

3. Make all checks and money orders payable to the Wauwatosa Philatelic Society and send to Claude Degler, 2114 N. 49th St., Milwaukee 8, Wisconsin.

4. It is recommended that all exhibits be mounted on pages of standard album size.

5. Because of the ample size of the exhibition hall, the number of frames in any exhibit will not be limited unless deemed necessary by the committee. Wisconsin Federation frames will be used vertically. The size of the glass is 22 by 26 inches, the frame holds 4 standard 8-1/2 by 11 sheets.

6. All exhibits to be mounted by the Committee must be in the hands of Claude Degler, 2114 N. 49th St., Milwaukee 8, Wisconsin, by May 17, 1963.

7. All mounted exhibits will be received at the Wauwatosa Recreation Center between 12:00 noon and 9 P.M., Friday, May 17, 1963. No deviation will be allowed.

8. No exhibit or any part thereof may be removed from the exhibition prior to 7:00 P.M. Sunday, May 19th, 1963.

9. Though the entire exhibit will be insured while on display and all precautions will be taken in properly handling your material, No LIABILITY will be attached to the Wauwatosa Philatelic Society, its officers, members, committees or employees, or to the Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs or its officers for any loss or damage to any exhibit.

10. Exhibitors are requested to make their own arrangements for insurance. Exhibits entered for exhibition will be received and held at the risk of the owner.

11. All exhibits will be returned as soon as possible after the close of the exhibition by express collect, valued at \$100.00, unless other arrangements are made with the Exhibition Chairman.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Two attractive cacheted envelopes, each with an appropriate commemorative stamp and special convention cancellation, one featuring Coat of Arms of Wauwatosa, and the other commemorating the 100th Anniversary of Wisconsin Troops participation in the siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, May 18, 1863, will be available for 15 cents each or 2 for 25 cents. A souvenir program will also be issued in connection with the exhibition free with \$1.00 registration. Your support towards this program by placing an ad in it will be greatly appreciated. Your cachets should be ordered from H. Malcolm Richert, P.O. Box #7001, Wauwatosa 13, Wisconsin.

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Deadline for Entries
April 30, 1963

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Please enter the following exhibit, subject to the Rules and Regulations, to which I agree to be bound:

TITLE: _____

DESCRIPTION: _____

I shall exhibit in the following classes: _____

I shall enter: _____ frames, Wis. Vertical @ 50¢ each

Total enclosed _____

Make all checks and money orders payable to Wauwatosa Philatelic Society, and mail with entry to Calude Degler, 2114 N. 49th St., Milwaukee 8, Wisconsin. Exhibits also to be sent as above.

Affiliated Stamp Club: _____

Signature _____ Address _____

I plan to attend the meeting of the Footloose Filatelists _____

I plan to attend the meeting of the Fancy Frees _____

I plan to attend the Ban uet, Saturday evening _____

My AFS Number is _____

My ATA Number is _____

My SPA Number is _____

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INSTRUCTIONS

Collections and exhibition material that are entered by Juniors are not in competition with Senior Exhibits and all Junior Exhibit Awards are donated by Footloose Philatelists and Fancy Frees. Also other awards will be made by local Philatelic Societies.

The same rules, other than classification, apply to Junior Exhibitors as to Senior Exhibitors.

I hereby make application to enter my exhibit in the class indicated. Please check below which class you belong to:

JUNIOR-JUNIOR _____ (5th-6th-7th Grades)	JUNIOR _____ (8th & 9th Grades)	SENIOR-JUNIOR _____ (10th-11th-12th Grades)
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I shall enter _____ frames to be displayed vertically at 50¢ each.

Total _____

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I am being sponsored by _____
A member of the Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs.

AGE _____

Signed _____
Junior Exhibitor

Please Print Name Here

Address _____

Date _____

Signed _____
Member of Sponsoring Club

BANQUET

The annual banquet and presentation of exhibition awards will take place on Saturday evening, May 18, 1963, at the Wauwatosa Recreation Center Banquet Hall. Mr. Burleigh Jacobs, former President APS will act as Master of Ceremonies.

Feature of the Program will be an address by Countess Pulaski, refugee from Poland, who is also a Stamp Collector.

Huge free parking area is available with easy access.

Banquet Hall is in conjunction with exhibition on premises.

Motel accommodations within short distance of area. Notify Committee if you wish Motel reservations for Friday or (and) Saturday Nights.

CLOSED ALBUMS

Walter Adams, 76 years of age, a member of the Oshkosh Philatelic Society for many years died on January 28th. He was a general collector and had a fine collection of Russia. He formerly worked as secretary for A. G. Maxey, Oshkosh Industrialist and was last employed as an accountant by the Oshkosh Motor Trucks, Ind. Several years ago he was honored by the Oshkosh Philatelic Society by being made a Life Member. In 1947 he attended The Centenary Stamp Exhibit in New York City with a Wisconsin Group. He was formerly Secretary of the OPS. He is survived by his widow, one daughter and one son.

Odin Christenson, Past President of the Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs (Term 1954/55) and past president of the Oshkosh Philatelic Society died recently. He was a Life member of the Oshkosh Philatelic Society and a well known exhibitor of Scandinavian stamps and prize winner at many State and Oshkosh exhibits. He passed away at the age of 73 after an illness of about a year. He was survived by his wife Marion, 2 sons, 3 daughters and 23 grandchildren.

Advertising Order Form
For the Program of the

32nd Annual Wisconsin State Federation of Stamp Clubs
Convention and Exhibition

May 18-19, 1963

Wauwatosa Recreation Center

Your cooperation in helping to make this state-
wide convention a huge success will be greatly appreciated.

The program will have an overall page size of nine
by six inches.

The rates: Full page, \$25; half page, \$15; quarter
page, \$8; eighth page, \$5, and patron (name only) \$1.50.

Please use the space below to type or print your
ad or attach your copy. Send the form and your remitt-
ance, not later than May 3, 1963, to the program chairman:

Burt Wuttken
3709 W. Scenic Ave.
Mequon, Wisconsin

Thank you!

